

FREE TRADE PROTECTION.

Meeting of Merchants and Manufacturers at Board of Trade Rooms. This morning at 11 o'clock, in presence of a call...

The meeting was organized by the calling of the Hon. Morton McMichael to the chair, and the election of Cyrus Elder, Esq., as Secretary, on motion of Mr. Wharton.

The Chairman then stated the object of the meeting to be for the purpose of taking counsel together relative to American industry, which, at the present time, more than ever before, is threatened by the advocates of free trade.

The Secretary then, on motion, presented and read a report of the Industrial League, showing the progress of the organization since its formation.

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judges, and to permit employers to acquire property in the same manner as manufacturing companies.

Upon motion of Mr. Fraley, the blank in the last resolution was ordered to be filled by the executive committee of the Pennsylvania Industrial League.

Mr. Wharton then, on behalf of the Industrial League, made an appeal for funds to further the object of the League.

Mr. Stebbins, Secretary of the National Industrial League, read a report exhibiting the progress of the National Association since the date of its organization.

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MAY ANNIVERSARY OF THE NORTHERN HOME FOR FRIENDLESS CHILDREN.—Among the many festivals and anniversaries which the pleasant month of May always brings us, there appears to me to be especially anticipated and heartily welcomed that of the Anniversary of the Northern Home for Friendless Children.

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FOURTH EDITION FOREIGN AFFAIRS.

Serious Riots in Londonderry—Several Persons Killed and Wounded.

HOME AFFAIRS. Execution of the Wife Poisoner at Pittsburg—Crime in Brooklyn.

EXECUTED. Lewis Lane Atones for his Crime on the Scaffold.

Special Despatch to The Evening Telegraph. PITTSBURG, April 29.—P. M.—The negro Lane was executed a few minutes after 12 o'clock.

He was convicted on the charge of having caused the death of his wife by poison. It transpired during the trial that Lane was a male Borgia, he having poisoned no less than four wives previous to the last for which he was tried.

During his imprisonment he has been apparently indifferent to his fate, but last night he was completely unnerved and cried for some time. His spiritual adviser, a Catholic priest, has been unceasing in his ministrations, and to all appearances finally brought the extraordinary criminal to a realization of his position.

He was up at an early hour this morning, and appeared cheerful, almost to exuberance. He did not entertain the slightest hope of reprieve, and seemed to be of an easy conscience.

So great was the care exercised by the officials that everything should be in perfect order, that the execution was delayed longer than expected.

The condemned ascended the scaffold with a firm step, and after the cap had been placed on his head, was, for the second time, asked if he had anything to say to those assembled. He answered no, and continued to follow the priests in recitation of the litany.

By one of his former wives refused to visit him, saying that he poisoned his mother, and he justly deserved to die on the gallows.

Lane died easily, scarcely a struggle being perceptible.

FROM NEW YORK. Brooklyn Has a "Haggerty" Case. NEW YORK, April 29.—The jury in the Haggerty case in Brooklyn have returned a verdict that Haggerty's death was caused by a beating at the hands of Dennis Eagan and John Hennessy.

The jury also censure Captain Rhodes and Sergeant Weeks, of the police, for not properly attending to Haggerty when brought to the station-house in an insensible state.

He further says that the frequent beatings of intoxicated men on the head with clubs by the police, and the brutality practised in the police stations as revealed in their investigations are disgraceful.

THE NEW YORK GOLD SALE. NEW YORK, April 29.—The event in Wall street to-day was the visit of Secretary Boutwell relative to gold sales.

Bids were announced and considerable merriment; and when those of Elliott & Dunn, of Philadelphia, for \$15,000 at 123 1/2 @ 131 1/2, were read, there was a general shout of laughter.

There were twenty-six proposals, and the total amount bid for was \$8,300,000 at 131 1/2 @ 134 1/2.

REAPPOINTMENT. AUGUSTA, Me., April 29.—Hon. Charles W. Walton was reappointed Associate Justice of the Supreme Court to-day. He has already served seven years.

FROM EUROPE. By Atlantic Cable. Riots in Londonderry. LONDONDERRY, April 29.—Serious riots occurred yesterday between the Catholics and Orangemen.

During collisions between the two factions, the police charged upon both. Firearms were freely used, and several of the rioters were wounded, and two killed.

The riot at one time assumed fearful proportions, but the efforts of the police and the appearance of the military from the garrison finally succeeded in restoring quiet, and the city is now tranquil. The military will remain on duty for a day or two.

THE COTTON MARKET. HAVRE, April 29.—Cotton closed quiet, both on the spot and afloat.

THIS EVENING'S QUOTATIONS. LONDON, April 29.—Evening.—Consols, 95 1/2 for both on account. U. S. five-twenty, bid at 94 1/2.

STOCK QUOTATIONS BY TELEGRAPH—P. M. Glendinning, Davis & Co., report through their New York house the following:

U. S. Central R. R. 174 1/2; West. Union Tel. 44 1/2; N. Y. and Erie R. R. 31; Cleve. and Toledo R. R. 101; P. and R. R. 96; Toledo and Wash. 23; Mich. and N. H. R. 102; Mil. and St. Paul R. R. 77 1/2; Chi. and N. W. con. 86; Adams Express 61 1/2; Chi. and W. pref. 95 1/2; Wells, Fargo, 36; Pitts. F. W. & C. R. 137 1/2; United States 42; Pacific Mail Steam. 90 1/2.

THE NEW YORK MONEY MARKET. From the Herald. "The stock market was again excited to-day for the shares which have been the prominent feature during the past few weeks, and for one which is comparatively fresh in the speculative fever."

At the first morning bid 10,000 shares of Michigan Southern were sold by a well-known stockholder, and the price of the day in this stock were hardly less than thirty thousand shares. The price under the first bid was 100 to 99 1/2, but reacted later in the day to 102 1/2, and considerable excitement is said that the Michigan Southern Company, an old corporation, were empowered to convert and sell \$2,000,000 of their convertible bonds when the stock should touch par.

This value was reached yesterday, and by some it is thought that the first impression gained a foothold that the stock company in placing the new stock on the market. Inasmuch as the total amount of liabilities of the corporation is not changed by the conversion of the bonds, reaction in price towards the close is more clearly understood.

Indeed, as the bonds have borne a fixed annual rate of interest, and were a large amount of two millions subject to receive us before the bill which has been accumulating for months is removed. The streets in the old districts of South Penn and Kensington are in a frightful state.

WEDDING INVITATIONS, ENGRAVED IN THE MOST DELICATE MANNER. LOUIS BREKKA, Engraver and Designer, No. 142 1/2 Chestnut Street.

FIFTH EDITION THE LATEST NEWS.

Later Advices from the Plains—More Indian Depredations.

FROM THE PLAINS. More Indian Depredations. ST. LOUIS, April 29.—The Republican has a letter from Camp Watchita, Medicine Bluff Creek, Indian Territory, dated April 6, which says that 100 lodges of Arapahoes, under "Roman Nose" and "Little Big Mouth," arrived on the 2d instant, and are only waiting the arrival of the Cheyennes to move in a body to the reservations north of the Red Fork of the Arkansas river.

The 6th Infantry will constitute the permanent garrison of this post. The 10th Cavalry will camp around the borders of the reservation, ready to pounce upon any body of Indians who stand outside the limits prescribed. Indians that have refused to come in on any terms are committing depredations on the border, and have killed three men within the past three weeks. Those here, while they appear to desire peace, and are profuse in promises of future good conduct, still are only waiting for the grass to fatten their horses, and for the Government to give them their goods, when the western frontier of Kansas, and the northern counties of Texas, will be again a scene of butcheries.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE VIRGINIA CONSERVATIVE CONVENTION. RICHMOND, April 29.—The convention re-assembled to-day, and the minority report was withdrawn to make way for a resolution to adjourn until ten days after Grant's proclamation for a State election. This resolution was defeated by a majority of two-thirds. The majority report was then adopted, with few dissenting voices. The debate pointed unmistakably to Walker, Conservative Republican, as the person to be supported by the Conservatives for Governor. Resolutions were adopted for a better organization, and for appointing a committee to wait on Grant relative to the submission of the Constitution, and also on General Canby, and the convention adjourned sine die. Press representatives of all political parties were admitted to-day.

CUSTOMS RECEIPTS. WASHINGTON, April 29.—Customs receipts from April 19th to April 24th, inclusive:—Boston, \$463,249; New York, \$2,671,839; Philadelphia, \$201,258; Baltimore, \$233,310; San Francisco, \$31,234; March 31st, \$301,230. Total, \$3,871,116.

THE NEW YORK POLICE BOARD. ALBANY, April 29.—Both houses of the Legislature, in joint convention, have elected Henry Smith, Police Commissioner, vice A. C. Griswold, resigned, and John A. Griswold, Regent of the University, vice Isaac Parks, deceased.

PHILADELPHIA TRADE REPORT. THURSDAY, April 29.—The Flour Market continues steady, but the volume of business is light. The sales for up 800 barrels, chiefly spring wheat extra family, including superfine at \$5.25; extra at \$5.75; Iowa, Wisconsin, and Minnesota extra family at \$6.00; do. the latter for choice; Pennsylvania do. at \$7.00; Ohio do. do. at \$6.25; do. and fancy brands at \$7.00; do. according to quality. Eye Flour sells in a small way at \$7.00.

There is not much activity in the Wheat market, but holders of prime wheat are firm in their views. Sales of 1000 bushels red at \$1.64; and 1000 bushels Indiana amber at \$1.58. Eye is steady, and 500 bushels Western at \$1.64. Corn is quiet, and continues former quotations. Sales of yellow at \$8.00; and Western mixed at \$8.00, the latter rate for high quality. Oats are selling at 75c to 76c for Western and 80c for Pennsylvania.

Nothing doing in Barley or Meal. Bark is dull, and offered at \$2 1/2 per ton for No. 1 Querciton.

Seeds.—Overseed is quiet, with sales at \$3.00 @ 3.50, the latter rate from second hands. Timothy is firm at \$4.75. Flaxseed is wanted by the crushers at \$25.00 per ton. Whisky is unchanged; 25 barrels sold at \$7.00 per barrel.

DEPOT QUARTERMASTERS' OFFICE. PHILADELPHIA, April 29, 1860. Sealed Proposals will be received at this Office until THURSDAY, May 6, 1860, at 12 o'clock M., for the manufacture and delivery at the Schuylkill Arsenal of 225 Knapsacks, 225 Haversacks, 225 Canteens, with Corks and Straps.

Samples of each can be seen at this Office, and to which the articles must conform in all respects. Bidders will state in their proposals how soon the articles can be delivered, which must not be later than the 8th of June next.

The Quartermaster's Department reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Any additional information desired by the parties wishing to bid, will be furnished upon application to this Office, where also blank forms of proposals can be obtained.

H. M. ENOS, Brevet Colonel and A. Q. M., U. S. A., Depot Quartermaster.

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